

My understanding of the current proposal to give LPFM stations priority over national and regional broadcasters is that the value of such broadcasters is considered questionable compared to that of local providers. I could not disagree more. I consider national and regional broadcasts to be of vital importance to our nation today. They allow the sharing of thoughts and perspectives from callers around our nation when discussing issues of the day. At a time when our nation is deeply divided over many key issues of politics, culture and morality, the last thing that we should do is to erect barriers to communication across our land.